**Grad Stats II** 

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## **Research Project Assignment I**

Memo: methods and data from other studies

**Research Question (still in ongoing discussion):** How did the early transition to global capitalism shaped the spatial dynamics of labor mobilization in El Salvador in the in 1972-1979 period?

Almeida, Paul D. 2003. "Opportunity Organizations and Threat-Induced Contention: Protest Waves in Authoritarian Settings." *American Journal of Sociology* 109(2):345–400.

- The dataset used in the study contains a detail register of labor mobilization, including strikes, in the period and country under study that can constitute the basic core of my own study.
- The dataset also has an account of state-sponsored violence against protest, which is a key variable of analysis
- The replication code deals with variation in time and in type of mobilization of mobilization, as wells as of charts to expose the results
- The article also exposed a model of analysis of popular protest that can be specified to include other variables and process linked to labor mobilization

Arce, Moisés and Jorge Mangonnet. 2013. "Competitiveness, Partisanship, and Subnational Protest in Argentina." *Comparative Political Studies* 46(8):895–919.

- The method of this study deals with statistical variation in time and space (regional variance) to analyze the spatial dynamic of a protest in relation to other variables (similarly to our intended procedure).
- The replication code deals with table, as well as with charts to compare types of mobilization in time and different locations (although in a regional level and not local as we intend).

Piazza, James A. 2005. "Globalizing Quiescence: Globalization, Union Density and Strikes in 15 Industrialized Countries." *Economic and Industrial Democracy* 26(2):289–314.

- The multiple data source used this study contain key variables to understand global capitalist dynamics in different countries (including El Salvador) and their variation in time, some of them including our time of consideration
- The data source include data over labor mobilization of global south countries, including El Salvador, although not studied in the article.
- The comparative method of labor mobilization provides insights to analize our specific research, suggests another possible route for the study (comparative) and how to study quantitavely labor mobilization variables.
- The replication code includes models to statistically analize globalization and labor mobilization (including vairables and measurements)